

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 62nd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND LABOR

Call to Order: Chair Elsie Arntzen, on March 16, 2011 at 9:00 A.M., in Room 172
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Elsie Arntzen, Chairman (R)
Rep. Tom Berry, Vice Chairman (R)
Rep. Chuck Hunter, Vice Chairman (D)
Rep. Carlie Boland (D)
Rep. Christy Clark (R)
Rep. Virginia Court (D)
Rep. Lila Walter Evans (R)
Rep. Timothy Furey (D)
Rep. Edward Greef (R)
Rep. Harry Klock (R)
Rep. Jonathan McNiven (R)
Rep. Michele Reinhart (D)
Rep. Matthew M. Rosendale Sr (R)
Rep. Daniel R. Salomon (R)
Rep. Cary Smith (R)
Rep. Carolyn Squires (D)
Rep. Gordon Vance (R)
Rep. Jeffery W. Welborn (R)

Members Excused: Rep. Pat Noonan (D)
Rep. Scott Reichner (R)
Rep. Sterling Small (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Bart Campbell, Legislative Branch
Sandra Sullivan, Committee Secretary

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary:

Executive Action Taken: SB 159, SB 168, SB 221, SB 223, SB 287, SB 341, SB 351 and SB 352

00:01:00 Chairwoman Arntzen
00:02:48 Mr. Campbell
00:03:27 Chairwoman Arntzen

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 159

Executive action continued from March 10th.

00:03:44 **Motion:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 159 BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

00:04:26 Mr. Campbell
00:04:47 Rep. Noonan, Rep. Reichner, and Rep. Small arrived.
00:05:04 Rep. Smith
00:05:31 Rep. Court

EXHIBIT(buh59a01)

00:08:33 Rep. Rosendale
00:09:34 Rep. Welborn
00:09:39 Rep. Furey
00:12:20 Rep. Reinhart
00:13:56 Rep. Reichner
00:15:44 Chairwoman Arntzen

00:15:55 **Vote:** Motion carried 13-8 by roll call vote with Rep. Boland, Rep. Court, Rep. Evans, Rep. Furey, Rep. Hunter, Rep. Noonan, Rep. Reinhart and Rep. Squires voting no. Rep. Smith will carry the bill.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 168

00:17:16 **Motion:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 168 BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

00:17:45 Mr. Campbell

00:19:21 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 168 BE AMENDED.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

EXHIBIT(buh59a02)

00:19:38 **Motion:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 168 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED.**

Discussion:

00:19:47 Rep. McNiven
00:20:59 Rep. Squires
00:23:46 Rep. Vance

00:24:08 **Vote:** Motion failed 8-13 by roll call vote with Rep. Boland, Rep. Court, Rep. Furey, Rep. Hunter, Rep. Noonan, Rep. Reinhart, Rep. Small and Rep. Squires voting aye.

00:25:15 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 168 BE TABLED AND THE VOTE REVERSED**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 221

Executive action continued from March 10th.

00:25:30 **Motion:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 221 BE CONCURRED IN**.

Discussion:

00:25:37 Mr. Campbell

00:27:26 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 221 BE AMENDED**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

EXHIBIT(buh59a03)

00:28:04 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 221 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Noonan will carry the bill.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 223

00:28:59 **Motion:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 223 BE CONCURRED IN**.

Discussion:

00:29:24 Rep. Squires
00:30:42 Mr. Campbell
00:31:14 Rep. Squires
00:31:46 Mr. Campbell
00:31:55 Rep. Squires
00:32:11 Mr. Campbell
00:32:40 Rep. Squires
00:35:04 Rep. Salomon
00:35:51 Rep. Welborn
00:36:54 Rep. McNiven
00:37:37 Rep. Klock
00:37:59 Rep. Reinhart

00:39:07 **Vote:** Motion carried 15-6 by roll call vote with Rep. Court, Rep. Hunter, Rep. Reichner, Rep. Reinhart, Rep. Rosendale and Rep. Squires voting no. Rep. Salomon will carry the bill.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 287

00:41:02 **Motion:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 287 BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

00:41:07 Rep. Clark

00:42:19 Vice Chairman Hunter

00:43:05 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-14 by roll call vote with Rep. Boland, Rep. Court, Rep. Furey, Rep. Hunter, Rep. Noonan, Rep. Reinhart and Rep. Squires voting aye.

00:44:23 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 287 BE TABLED AND THE VOTE REVERSED.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 341

00:44:55 **Motion:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 341 BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

00:45:14 Vice Chairman Hunter

00:46:40 Chairwoman Arntzen

00:46:52 Roy Mulvaney, Department of Labor and Industry (DLI)

00:47:51 Chairwoman Arntzen

00:47:55 Mr. Mulvaney, DLI

00:48:01 Chairwoman Arntzen

00:48:06 Mr. Mulvaney

00:48:31 Chairwoman Arntzen

00:48:42 Mr. Mulvaney

00:48:47 Vice Chairman Hunter

00:49:27 Rep. Squires

00:50:15 Mr. Mulvaney

00:50:20 Rep. Welborn left.

00:50:24 Rep. Squires

00:50:38 Mr. Mulvaney

00:50:43 Rep. Squires

00:51:51 Rep. Clark

00:53:14 **Vote:** Motion failed 9-12 by roll call vote with Rep. Berry, Rep. Clark, Rep. Evans, Rep. Reichner, Rep. Rosendale, Rep. Salomon, Rep. Smith, Rep. Vance and Rep. Welborn voting aye. Rep. Welborn voted by proxy.

00:54:26 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 341 BE TABLED AND THE VOTE REVERSED.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote of those present and voting.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 352

00:55:02 **Motion:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 352 BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

00:56:20 Mr. Campbell

00:57:03 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 352 BE AMENDED.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote of those present and voting.

EXHIBIT(buh59a04)

00:57:34 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 352 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Welborn voted by proxy. Rep. Rosendale will carry the bill.

00:58:13 Mr. Campbell

00:58:27 Rep. Reinhart

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 351

00:59:46 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Berry moved that **SB 351 BE CONCURRED IN.** Motion carried unanimously by roll call vote. Rep. Welborn voted by proxy. Rep. Rosendale will carry the bill.

01:00:50 Rep. Reinhart

01:00:59 Rep. Clark

01:01:24 Chairwoman Arntzen

ADJOURNMENT

10:34:00 Adjournment

Sandra Sullivan, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([buh59aad.pdf](#))